IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:)	
Mariachiara BOSSI et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2616
Application No.: 10/538,833)	Examiner: KAO, Jutai
Filed:	June 13, 2005)	
For:	METHOD AND DEVICE FOR DESIGNING A DATA NETWORK)))	Confirmation No.: 5179

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Applicant petitions for a two-month extension of time to file a reply to the non-final Office Action of March 20, 2008. A fee of \$460.00 is enclosed.

Please grant any additional extensions of time required to enter the attached reply and charge any additional required fees to Deposit Account 06-0916.

Respectfully submitted,

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Dated: July 24, 2008

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